

WHEREAS Idaho Supreme Court Administrative Order dated December 9, 2009, declares that all petitions for judicial review made pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-1701A of any decision from the Department of Water Resources be assigned to the presiding judge of the Snake River Basin Adjudication District Court of the Fifth Judicial District, and

WHEREAS Idaho Supreme Court Administrative Order dated December 9, 2009, vests in the Snake River Basin Adjudication District Court of the Fifth Judicial District the authority to adopt procedural rules necessary to implement said Order, and

WHEREAS on July 1, 2010, the Court entered an Administrative Order Adopting Procedures for the Implementation of the Idaho Supreme Court Administrative Order dated December 9, 2009, and

WHEREAS, the Idaho Courts have transitioned to a new electronic filing system as part of Idaho's larger effort to modernize the State's court system.

THEREFORE, THE FOLLOWING ARE HEREBY ORDERED:

- 1. As of the date of this *Order*, any petition for judicial review pursuant to Idaho Code § 42-1701A, or an action for declaratory judgment, of any decision from the Idaho Department of Water Resources must be filed electronically with the appropriate County using Idaho's electronic filing system. This includes fee category L.3.a. filings. Such filings must be made in accordance with Idaho's Rules for Electronic Filing and Service.
- 2. The clerk of the district court in the county where the action is filed will reassign the case to the presiding judge of the Snake River Basin Adjudication District Court. All filings made subsequent to reassignment are to continue to be filed electrically in the County where the action was filed in accordance with the procedures governing Idaho's electronic filing system.

- 3. This *Order* applies to petitions for judicial review or actions for declaratory judgment filed after its issuance. It does not affect the processing of petitions for judicial review or actions for declaratory judgment filed prior to its issuance.
- 4. This *Order* does not apply to or affect any proceeding for the general adjudication of water rights pending before the Snake River Basin Adjudication District Court. For rules of procedure governing such adjudications, please see the Court's website at www.srba.idaho.gov.
- 5. The Court's Administrative Order Adopting Procedures for the Implementation of the Idaho Supreme Court Administrative Order dated December 9, 2009 is superseded by this Order and is hereby withdrawn.

DATED this 3 day of December, 2020.

ERIC J. WILDMAN

Presiding Judge

Snake River Basin Adjudication